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Friday 9th, Prof Napoleon, Saturday 1 th, Prof. Napoleon Mat-

Friday 16th, Spangles, Saturda 17 b, Jas. O'Neil in Monte

CROP INSURANCE

If our readers will take heed and carefully read the half page advertim nt in this paper inwhich Armour! fertilizers merits are shown our farm ers will surely begreatly benefited and their crops increased in accordance day in Monetta.

Mr. W. A. Cooner has been spend ing the better part of this week in

Mr. Arthur Bouknight of Leesville was in town this week.

Mr Iredell Jones Jr. of Columbia spent several days here this week.

Among those who have visited Batesburg this week are: Messrs. W. K. Shealy, Jesse L. Taylor, J. L. B. Oxner and Heury Bodle of Leesville; Miss Mary Bodie of Lecsville.

Mr. Van Jones of Wagner spent two days in town this week.

Mrs. N. Rogers Bayly left on Thursday for Charleston where she went to Wise, Carson & Company were soon see her sister Miss Isabel Cooner who ignited and very little of A. C. Eldis at the Riverside Hospital there, son's stock of governl merchandise iss Cooner has typhoid fever.

Mr St. Julien Cullum visited Batesburg this week.

Mr. J. W. Stribling who has been ons, groceries etc., were saved. here for some months looking after the The building adjoining A. C. Eldinterests of the Southern Oil Co. has son & Co., occupied by the "Saluda been called by them to other fields. Times" was destroyed along with all We greatly regret to see Mr. Stribling of its contents. The buildings burngo for his friends in this place are not e were wooden structures, but were

Among those at the Lexington Hotel who walk to Batesburg quite fre- The "Saluda Times" building and

damaging fire last Friday night on one of the business blocks of Main Street; five buildings being totally destroyed. The property destroyed a- honored guest of his mounted to about Five Thousand Structay and Sunday. Dollars, with only about Eighteen Hundred Dollars insurance.

The fire originated under the counter in the two-story furniture store of H. M. Crouch and was discovered by the night watchman about 90'clock who gave the plarm immediately, but by the time the doors were broken in, the fire had made such headway, it was impossible to save any of the stock in that store. The stores on ether side, A. C. Eidson & Co., and was saved and his household goods on shopping. the second floor were entirely lost, over half of Wise. Carson & Co's. stock of hardware, buggies and way

built of good material and two of them were two-story buildings.

Miss Estelle Rawls visited her sisection Sunday.

Mr. Seigler, of near Aiken, was the conored guest of his two sons here

Mr. Chester Ables one of Salleys pop ular young men paid our town a business call last week.

Oak Grove section Sunday. Who can guess what carried him that way?

shipped at Convent Baptist church Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Mae Edwins visited rel atives at Sally Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs W. Lee Gunter and little daughter were on our streets shopping

The many friends of Mr. Kell Gantt were glad to see him in town today.

Mr. M S. Gunter paid friends and elatives a short call last week.

Our friend Mr. Edd Shull was in the

Quite a number of our people wor

Miss Jennie Lyles and her little brother, Nicholas, were in town Monday

We understand some of the widowers around Sally lost their heart and will be coming this way pretty soon.

Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Luis Redd, of Wagener, was

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Mrs. N : G Cooner is erecting a new cottage on her lot in Batesburg on Railroad street.

Col Charles B. Rogers Satesburg last Sunday for a few hours. owned by B. W. Crouch. Mr. Loyd Jones stopped on his way visit relatives

Col Bellinger and Welch, of Colu :on, were here Sunday to visit Atty len U X Gunter

Mr and Mrs. W A. Rawl have noved to Elcrida to live

Miss Besele A tman has returned rom Atlanta Ga Mr. H. A. Little John and ittile

Harold went to Gaffney Sunday to visit.Mr. Little Johns relatives. Miss Maud Amon is visiting Mrs

rooker Cartledge Whitmire . C. is visiting Miss Molda

Mr Jno. Crouch was here Sunday

siting his relatives. Miss Gladys Sawyer after spending a eck here has returned home.

Mrs. J J. Rawl has returned. after extended visit to her daughter, frs. Parnell. at Lamar, S. C.

da !ast Saturday . Mr. Wilber Cook, of Columbia, was n town Sunday.

Mr. S. B. Cartledge went to Colum-

Mr. G. C. Holstein, of Monetta, vas here today Mr. S. T. Altman is spending some

m. in Augusta.

Mr E. F strother has gone to arlesten. rs. Admy of Johnston, is visiting

r daughter Mrs Glenn. r. Ernest Hartley we nt to John Miss Gladys hawyer after spending week here has re urned home.

urs Flo a Youn blood has returned me after visiting her daughter ir wirth Carolina. Mr. J C. Glover ve t to Columbia i Puesday as a witness in the tris

ensary invstigation. Mr. 9 Y Parler and family have ovedback to Orangeburg after spendg three months here. 'r. If Ridgell visited Wagener this

Mr Tom Duncan of Johnston was in own Tuesday.

wisses Childs and Gibson of Brattle & Co., were owned by Mr P. N. Livingston, who had just purchased them a few weeks before, and were not in- Co., at this place was sold in Char-

R A. Crawford, and the building oc- We hope they will begin work cupied by Wise, Carson & Co. was

A very brutal murder was committed from Columbia to Augusta Sunday to in this County near "liggins Ferry on Mr. R. W. Coleman's plantation, last week The half nude body of Cam oleman, a negress, was found in a secluded spot of wood, with her head broken in two places, and several bruses about her person, as though she had oday. been beaten to deathwith some blunt weapon. The testimony at the Coroner's Inquest pointed to a negro man and woman as the guilty parties and they were immediately put under arrest and brought here and placed in jail. Although all of the evidence was circumstantial; the Coroner and the good citizens of that community feel

> have been placed in jail. Miss Curistine 1. Tipling of England, he great W. C. T. U., organizer, ectured to large audiences in the Methodist Church here, I'hursday and Friday nights.

> Quite a big crowd of farners attended he Cotton Growers Association here Monday, and more interest is being aken than ever before in these meet-

WHITTEN DRY GOODS

This week the Advocate issued a arge extra for The Whitten Dry Goods mother at Monetta o in which they announce a tremendous Mill and Factory Sale to begin on he sixteenth of this month and coninue for ten doys. The sale will be conducted by a Mr. Watson an experi in his line of business.

IST OF LETTERS REMAINING UN-CALLED FOR IN BATESBURG. S. C., POST OFFICE FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY, 27TH.

NAMES-LADIES Mrs. Missouri Brown, Miss Vick Carder. riss Mary Gantt, NAMES-GENTLEMEN E M Manley,

hase letters will be sent to it Mr. Willie S. Gunter spent last Sun-above, please say "Advertised" giving date of list. J. Franc K. 100ce, P. M. Dead Letter Office Feb. 10, 1906 if not

We understand the Kaolin Mining sured. The two-story building occu- leston Monday as advertised and was pied by H. M. Crouch was owned by Lought in by F. W. Wagener and Co. again soon. Mr. J. E. Smith. of Lexington Co.

was in town today. Little Miss Lucile Gunter has been sick for several days but was able to

attend school again yesterday. Mr. M. E. Gunter was on our streets

Sparsow.

LEESVILLE LETTER.

Mr. Boland, the popular candy man has been in town this week. Mr. Rufus Roof spent a few days

down the country this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Shealey were Miss Fanny May Henderson, of quite certain that the guilty parties in town Monday-they were among the crowd that gave Rev. Groseclose and family such a generous pounding last week.

Mr Henry Hailman is moving into the Capt. West old home.

There will be a Lyceum attraction at the College on Friday night. Miss Sloan, of Ridge Spring, is visting Mrs. Dr. Gunter.

business trip to canada and Char-Mrs. Kate Crouch, of Johnston, is

Mr. R. F. Cheering has gone on a

visiting her niece, Mrs. Walter Hen-Miss Willette hatthews has returned from a visit to her grand-

Mr. Geo. R Coney and family have gone to Jacksonville, Fla., on a visit. Miss tertha Werts, who has been visiting Mrs. Leppard Nichols, has returne i to her home in Orangeburg

Mr. R F. Howard, of Tallahassee Fla., was here Wednesday.

FOR SALE Babce:k buggy. Has been used Batesburg Advocate. FOR SALE.

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Mrs. N. Rogers Bayly. Batesburg, S. C.

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cents A3 53 20.075.65 AWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: Specie Legal-tender notes 1,500.00 Redemption fund with U.S.

Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) TOTAL LIABILITIES Capital stock paid 98,000,00 Surplus fund Undivided profits, less expensee and taxes

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. spinty of Lexington, as: 1. Wm. M.

bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. WM M. CARTER, Cashier Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th, day of February, 1906.

Carter, Cashler of the above named

Jno. C. GLOVER, Notary Public. CORRECT-Attest: T. B. KERNAGHAN,)

J. A. WHITTEN,

On last Friday night the Odd Fellows and at the direction of the court the of Ridge Spring gave an Oyster Supper. jury was sent to view the burnt premto which a large number of our citizers ises. The sheriff took them down in were invited, as well as representative carriges and while they were gone the from others Lodges In response to case of Geo. F. Lightsey vs. S. A. L. called, after supper speeches were Railway was taken up and disposed of. made by Rev S. R. Bass, Dr. L. J' This case was brought by Mesars Thur Smith and Rev J. H. Edwards and by everal visitors from others Lodges, conclusion. The jury rendered a Mr. Jas. Eikins, the genial Master of Ceremonies, then closed wieh a facetions address There were hearty good-fellowship and the occasion was much enjoyed by those who were so

fortunate as to be present. On Tuesday, Feb. 6th, a number of friends enjoyed the hospitality of pop off, whereby plantiff's horse was Col. and Mrs. R. B. Watson in celebra- frightened and ran away, throwing tion of the forty-fifth Auniversary of plantiff from his buggy. their marriage.

Miss Purvis Boatwright of Darlington is on a visit to her mother-in-law, Mrs. Louise Boatwright. Misses Grace and Ruby Frontis have

been at home for several days on account of the illness of their father, Dr. D. B. Frontis. He is now very decidedly improving. Mr. Julins W. Quattlebaum of

Anderson was here on a brief visit last

FARTING LANDS FOR SALE.

Saturday.

Four farms near Ridge Spring, S. C. Containing from 100 to 150 acres each. These are well improved places and can be bought cheap and on easy terms. Also a tract containing 1000 acres and three miles from Ridge Spring, S. C. This place is well adapted to fruits and other truck and has good warer power. For particulars address Lock Box 214 Ridge Spring, S. C.

THE KING OF ADS. E. Jones has this week the largest Thoroughbred Rhode Island Red

single issue advertisement that has ever appeared in the Advocate. The space occupied reaches from one side of the eneire paper to the other, mak ing two whole pages. They are put ting before the people the grade of fertilizer that they are handling and ingredients of same.

To Editor Batesburg Advocate: Lexington, S. C. Feb., 8 At thi writing the fourth week of court

in progress and much work to be ng accomplished. Pretty well all of the cases marked for trial, which were about thirty in number will be disposed of this term, and this is due to the business like manner of Judge Hydrick in handling the work before the court and the promptness of the members of the bar.

At our last writing the case of W A. Sightler vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway was being tried and the jusy after the conclusion of arguments of counsel and the Judges charge rendered a verdiet in favor of the plaintiff. Mr. Sightler was ably repreed by Messrs G. T. Graham and W. W. Hawer. He was sueing for damages done to his land by fire let out by the railway.

The next case was that of Dainy Cartin vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway. This was an action for personal injuries alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the defendant in backing an engine with one or mere cars attached to it against a box ca in which he was loading lumber, and in violently striking the car while 4,928 00 standing on the side track at Swanses The jury went to their room at oundown and rendered a verdict in favor 3 000.00 of the plaintiff sometime between ten and eleven o'clock that night. Mess. G. T. Graham and A. D. Martin, who represented the plaintiff, put up a strong and hard fight for him. The defendant was represented by Messrs Efird and Dreher, Lyles and McMahan

Mr. J. W. Furtick's case against the S. A. L. Railway was the next tried and the jury returned a verdict in his favor. This action was brought by Messrs Thomas and Thomas of the Columbia bar. He alleged that his premises were damaged by are segligently allowed to escape from the defendant.

The naxt case, which was entitled Rosanna Connor Hayes vs. S. A. L. Railway is as taken up and the jury returned a verdict in her favor. This and lies along the Scaboard Railway and it was alleged that fire escaped from the defendant and burnt it over.

Following this case, the cases of McGill vs. 8 A. L. Railway, James W. Connor vs. S. A. L. Railway and H. W. Connor vs. S. A. L. Railway were all taken up together. These actions were brought by Messrs Serbels, Belser and T. C. Sturkie for dam ges done to their land by the fire, which burnt Mrs. Hayes premises. In ether words all this land lies in a big body down near Dixiana along the Seaboard Railway. By consent of the Attorneys for both sides mond and Timmerman, and upon its

verdict for the plaintiff. The action was for personal injuries alleged to have been caused by defendants negligently allowing one of its locomotives to stop on a public highway and permitting an unnecessary amount of steam to accumulate and

Yesterday morning the jury returned from their trip and the three above mentioned fire cases were resumed and are still in progress.

Messrs. White Geiger, S. F. Shealy L. C. Hartley, and L. D. Cullum, jurymen were excused and consequently it was found necessary to draw an extra venire, and Messrs. D. J. Caughman J. B. Floyd, H. M. Wingard, J. M. Craps and D. J. Mathias were drawn.

This morning the members of the bar who are interested in cases are ready and waiting to go to trial. There are not many cases yet to be disposed of and this is indicative of the fact that a great deal of good work has been done and it is well known that Judge Hydrick has made all efforts to clear the calender and he has well succeeded in his endeavors. The members of the bar should also be commended for their promptness and energy in an endeavor to clear the calender.

Master Ben Graham is ticket boy for this week. The business of town is progressing

as usual. We have had a great deal of bad weather here.

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